

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<p>In Re Application of: <b>Bulent M. Basol</b></p> <p>Serial No. 09/961,193 Filed: September 20, 2001</p> <p>For:</p> <p><b>Plating Method And Apparatus For Controlling Deposition On Predetermined Portions Of A Workpiece</b></p>	<p>Examiner: E. Wong Art Unit: 1753</p> <p>Docket No. 042496/02269244 Client Ref: NT-225</p> <p><b>CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that this communication and any attachments are being transmitted via facsimile to 703-872-9310, Examiner T. Parsons at the Office of the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on April 23, 2003</p> <p><i>Kathleen M. Smith</i> Kathleen M. Smith</p>
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231  
BOX: Amendment

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action of March 26, 2003 requiring restriction among the claims.  
Applicants elect to prosecute claims in Group I, namely Claims 1-33, without traverse.

Respectfully submitted

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